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MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE

SUBJECT: Estimates of the Effect of Providing or Failing
to Provide Foreign Military Aid During the
Fiscal Year 1950

REFERENCES: a. Memorandum from Mr. Only to DCI dated 31 January 1949
b. Memorandum from DCI to Secretary of Defense dated
7 February 1949

ENCLOSURE: A. ORE 41-49: Effects of a U.S. Foreign Military
Aid Program (Copy 161)

1. Enclosed CIA estimate is forwarded in response to paragraph
7 of reference a.

2. At Mr. Halaby's request, twenty-four additional copies were
forwarded to you under separate cover, and fifteen copies were
forwarded to Mr. Curtis Murrell for the Secretary of State.

3. It is noted that the intelligence organizations of the
departments of State, Army, Navy, and the Air Force have concurred
in this estimate.

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